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## What is claimed is:

- 5 1. A method for the distributed execution of tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN), comprising the steps of:
  - generating a task in said PDMD;
  - storing the task in said PDMD;
- 10 establishing a link between said PDMD and said LPRN to detect a match of the task stored in PDMDs and the tasks executable by a device;
  - transferring said task stored in said PDMD to a device able to execute said task, if the ability to execute a task which matches the task stored in the PDMD is detected; and
  - executing said task in said device able to execute said task.
- 2. A method according to claim 1, wherein said link is established by said PDMD by broadcasting task related information.
  - 3. A method according to claim 1, wherein said link is established by said devices able to execute tasks by broadcasting information related to their ability to execute tasks.
  - 4. A method according to claim 2, wherein said task is generated

in said PDMD by transferring a task from a first device in the local range of said LPRN to said PDMD via said LPRN.

- 5. A method according to claim 2, further comprising the step of determining if said task stored in said PDMD is to be transferred to said device able to execute said task.
  - 6. A method according to claim 5, wherein said determination step comprises an authentication operation between the PDMD and said device able to execute said task.
  - 7. A method according to claim 6, wherein said authentication operation is performed by bonding.
- 8. A method according to claim 7, wherein at least a part of the transfers between said PDMD and the device able to execute said task are encrypted.
- 9. A method according to claim 2, further comprising the step of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.
  - 10. A method according to claim 9, wherein said confirmation comprises a result of the task.

- 11. A method according to claim 9, further comprising the step of:
- displaying said confirmation on said PDMD.

- 12. A method according to claim 1, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 13. A method according to claim 2, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
- 10 14. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of anyone of claims 1, when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
  - 15. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of anyone of claims 1, when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.
  - 16. A personal digital mobile device, comprising:
- low power radio transceiver to receive and transmit tasks from
   devices
  - storage means to store said tasks
  - displaying means, to display status information of the device

or the task

- computing means
- detection means, to detect the location of other transceivers.
- 5 17. A method according to claim 3, wherein said task is generated in said PDMD by transferring a task from a first device in the local range of said LPRN to said PDMD via said LPRN.
- 10 18. A method according to claim 3, further comprising the step of determining if said task stored in said PDMD is to be transferred to said device able to execute said task.
- 15 19. A method according to claim 4, further comprising the step of determining if said task stored in said PDMD is to be transferred to said device able to execute said task.
- 20. A method according to claim 3, further comprising the step of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.
  - 21. A method according to claim 4, further comprising the step of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.
  - 22. A method according to claim 5, further comprising the step

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of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.

- 23. A method according to claim 6, further comprising the step of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.
  - 24. A method according to claim 7, further comprising the step of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.
  - 25. A method according to claim 8, further comprising the step of transmitting a confirmation from said device executing said task to said PDMD.
  - 26. A method according to claim 10, further comprising the step of: displaying said confirmation on said PDMD.
- 20 27. A method according to claim 2, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 25 28. A method according to claim 3, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.

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- 29. A method according to claim 4, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 30. A method according to claim 5, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 31. A method according to claim 6, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 32. A method according to claim 7, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 33. A method according to claim 8, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 34. A method according to claim 9, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to

execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.

- 35. A method according to claim 10, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 36. A method according to claim 11, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 37. A method according to claim 12, further comprising the steps of displaying status information of said device able to execute said task, and waiting for a user input for continuing or breaking off.
- 38. A method according to claim 3, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
  - 39. A method according to claim 4, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
- 25 40. A method according to claim 5, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
  - 41. A method according to claim 6, further comprising the step

of physically moving said PDMD.

42. A method according to claim 7, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.

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- 43. A method according to claim 8, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
- 44. A method according to claim 9, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
  - 45. A method according to claim 10, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.
- of physically moving said PDMD.
  - 47. A method according to claim 12, further comprising the step of physically moving said PDMD.

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- 48. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 2 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
- 49. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio

network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 3 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.

5 50. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 4 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.

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51. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 5 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.

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52. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 6 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.

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53. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 7 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.

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- 54. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 8 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
- 55. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 9 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
- 56. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 10 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
- 57. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 11 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
- 25 58. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 12 when said program is run on a personal

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digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.

- 59. A computer program for executing tasks by means of a personal digital mobile device (PDMD) in a low power radio network (LPRN) comprising program code means for carrying out the steps of claim 13 when said program is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or a network device.
- 60. A computer program product comprising program code means

  10 stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 2 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.
  - 61. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 3 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.
- 62. A computer program product comprising program code means
  20 stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the
  method of claim 4 when said program product is run on a
  personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.
- 63. A computer program product comprising program code means
  25 stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the
  method of claim 5 when said program product is run on a
  personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

64. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 6 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

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65. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 7 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

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66. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 8 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

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67. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 9 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

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68. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 10 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

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69. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 11 when said program product is run on a

personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

- 70. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 12 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.
- 71. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for carrying out the method of claim 13 when said program product is run on a personal digital mobile device, a computer or network device.

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